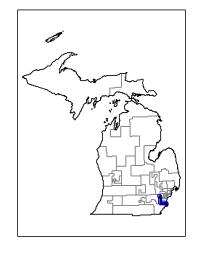
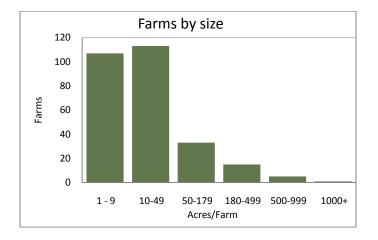
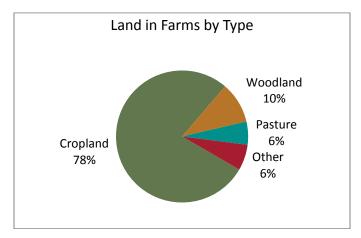


Michigan Senate District 7



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	445	420	+ 6
Number of Farms	274	238	+ 15
Land in Farms	15,145 acres	18,305 acres	- 17
Average Size of Farm	55 acres	77 acres	- 29
Irrigated Land	805 acres	860 acres	- 6
Market Value of Products Sold	\$27,182,000	\$23,552,000	+ 15
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$99,204	\$98,960	+ 0
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$4,371,000	\$559,000	+ 682
Government Payments	\$81,000	\$130,000	- 38
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,120	\$5,212	- 40







State Legislative Profile

Michigan, Senate District 7

Ranked items among the 38 senate districts in the state, 2007

ltem	Quar	ntity	State rank	Universe 1
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)				
Total value of agricultural products sold Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse Value of livestock, poultry and their products		27,182 26,521 661	24 22 27	31 31 30
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)				
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas Tobacco Cotton and cottonseed Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes		2,133 - - 1,968	25 - - 21	29 - - - 29
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops Other crops and hay		86 22,237 - 97	26 9 - 27	27 31 26 29
Poultry and eggs Cattle and calves Milk and other dairy products from cows Hogs and pigs Sheep, goats, and their products Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys Aquaculture Other animals and other animal products		168 48 12 14 12 130 205 72	18 25 25 25 25 25 25 8 24	30 29 25 28 29 28 21 27
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres) Soybeans for beans Corn for grain Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop Vegetables harvested for sale Sod harvested		3,795 2,693 964 718 430	23 25 27 22 9	28 29 30 29 20
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)				
Layers Horses and ponies Broilers and other meat-type chickens Ducks Rabbits and their pelts		1,228 936 (D) 669 654	23 25 17 11 16	29 31 28 29 29

Other Senate District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	77
\$1,000 to \$2,499	38
\$2,500 to \$4,999	36
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28
\$10,000 to \$19,999	25
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	12
\$40,000 to \$49,999	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19
\$100,000 to \$249,999	11
\$250,000 to \$499,999	9
\$500,000 or more	10
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	24,643
Average per farm (\$)	89,938
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	6,991
Average per farm (\$)	25,515

Operator characteristics	Quantity	
Principal operators by primary occupation: Farming Other	129 145	
Principal operators by sex: Male Female	177 97	
Average age of principal operator (years)	54	
All operators by race ² : American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White More than one race	8 - 26 - 390 1	
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin ²	18	

(D) Cannot be disclosed.
Universe is number of senate districts in state with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.